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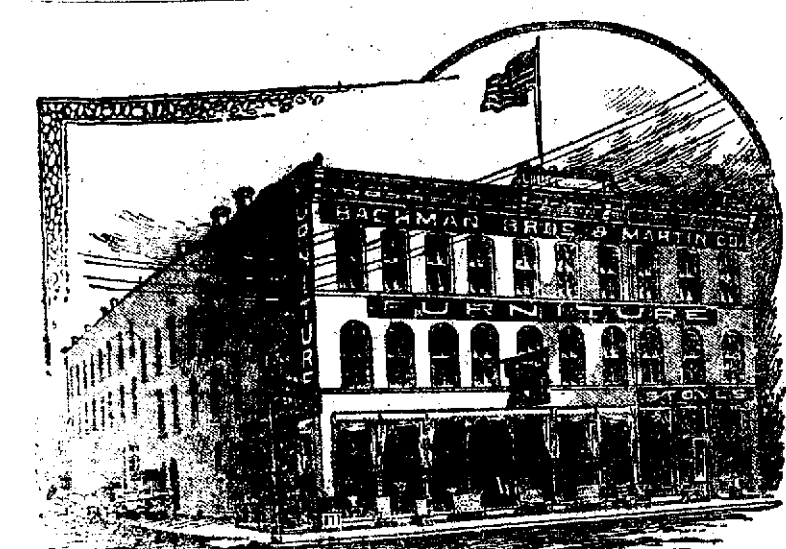
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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Senate Enters Upon the Sev-
enth Week

OF DISCUSSION OF THE TARIFF BILL.

The Chemical Schedule Still Under Con-
sideration - Republican Senatorial
Caucus To-night--Appropriation
Bills in the House.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Now that the
senate has got into the midst of the
discussion of the tariff bill proper and
is taking up paragraph after para-
graph, it is almost impossible to fore-
cast what the programme for the week
is likely to be. Much less tell what re-
sults will have been accomplished be-
fore the week ends. To-day begins the
seventh week of the debate which was
opened by Mr. Voorhees April 3, and
the week just closed saw the tariff
bill, as the democrats say they they
expect to pass it, first laid upon the
desks of senators. The debate during
the week related to the chemical
schedule and that subject will be con-
tinued this week. The democrats ex-
pect to complete the consideration of
the seventy-five paragraphs, while the
republicans say the rest of the month
at least will be necessary for this
work. Inasmuch as but seven para-
graphs were acted upon last week, if
the republicans intend to exhibit their
present zeal in debate, it would seem
that their estimate of the time to be
consumed is more correct.

The debate throughout the week
will be upon this schedule and but one
set speech is looked for—that of Mr.
Aldrich—late in the week, when he
will speak upon the rates of duty
found in the bill on this line of im-
ports. The burden of the pending dis-
cussion will probably fall upon the
shoulders of Messrs. Allison, Aldrich,
Chandler and Hale, although
Mr. Quay has expressed a desire to con-
clude his speech began some weeks
ago.

The republican caucus of to-night
may have some bearing on the debate,
but just how far remains still to be
seen. Members of that party deny
that it has anything to do with the
tariff bill, but relates solely to vacan-
cies in committees occasioned by the
death of Mr. Stockbridge, of Michigan.
It is not likely that the arrangement
whereby the senate meets at 11 o'clock
each morning and sits until 6, devot-
ing six of the seven hours to the tariff
bill, will be set aside this week, al-
though as soon as he sees he has the
votes with which to do it, Mr. Harris
will move for a 10 o'clock session.

Some little variation from the pro-
gramme that the house has followed so
strictly for the past month or two is
possible in the proceedings of the com-
ing week. Possible, only, for if the
managers of the house (the committee
on rules and the chairman on appro-
priations) have sufficient influence
among the membership to secure ad-
herence to the programme which they
have outlined, appropriation bills and
minor measures that meet with no ob-
jection will consume most of the
week. The possibility of a change
lies in two propositions that are
awaiting consideration by the house,
the promoters of which desire to see
action as speedily as possible. One of
these is the Brawley bill, sus-
pending operation of the 10 percent tax
on clearinghouse certificates and other
forms of indebtedness issued by finan-
cial institutions during the money
stringency last summer, which Mr.
Springer has given notice he will re-
port from the committee on banking
and currency Wednesday next, and
ask a consideration at that time. The
second is a bill, which can be made
as the chairman has given notice he
will, but the question of consideration
will be raised in favor of a general ap-
propriation bill; the naval bill, if it
has not then been disposed of and the
Indian bill, if it shall be the first on
the calendar at that time.

The other matter is the joint resolu-
tion reported on Friday from the
committee on labor, providing for an
investigation into the industrial condi-
tion of the country, its causes, and
what legislation is necessary to provide
employment for the idle laboring men.
A similar resolution, introduced by
Representative Hirt, who is the suc-
cessor of Maj. McKinley, from the
Massillon (O.) district, is now pending
before the committee on rules. That
body has not yet seen fit to report an
order for its discussion by the house,
and Mr. McGinn, chairman of the
committee on labor, will probably be
no more successful in securing an or-
der of that kind than has been Mr.
Hirt; so that he will have to depend
upon unanimous consent of the house
to take up his joint resolution if he
desires action upon it at the present
time. This, it is hardly necessary to
say, he will have some difficulty in se-
curing.

To-day is district day under the
rules, and Mr. Heard, the chairman of
the committee on the affairs of the dis-
trict of Columbia, will ask the house to
spend the day in consideration of the
business on the calendar reported from
his committee. These are largely
measures providing charters for new
railroad corporations or amending
those of companies already in existence.
The naval appropriation bill is still
undisposed of, and will be the first
measure of a general nature to be con-

sidered this week. Following it will
come the Indian and agricultural bills,
now on the calendar, and the execu-
tive, legislative and judicial bill, which
will be reported to the house in the
next few days.

To Preserve the Peace and Prevent
Bloodshed.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—The acting
commissioner of Indian affairs has re-
ceived the following dispatch from
Agent Wisdom, of the Union agency,
Indian territory:

"In order to avoid bloodshed and to
protect miners who are at work, I ask
that a company of soldiers be ordered
to Alderson, I. T., to keep the
peace. There are 2,000 miners who
have struck, and they are ex-
ceedingly boisterous and threatening.
My police force, supported by a squad
of marshall, is inadequate to meet the
crisis, and I regard the presence of the
military as absolutely essential.
Prompt action alone will prevent serious
trouble."

In order that bloodshed may be
averted and peace maintained, the ac-
tong secretary of the interior this morn-
ing requested the secretary of war to
order a company of troops to be sent
to Alderson to preserve the peace.

Francis Goes to Visit His Mother.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Mrs. Cleve-
land, accompanied by the babies, Ruth
and Esther, and their nurses, and es-
corted by Private Secretary Thurber,
left Washington for Buffalo over the
Northern Central railroad at 7:10
o'clock last evening. The party occu-
pied Mr. Frank Thompson's private
car, the famous No. 60, and are due to
reach their destination at 11:30 this
morning. Mrs. Cleveland goes to visit
her mother, Mrs. Perkins, for a few days
before proceeding to Gray Gables for
the summer.

Chairman Wilson's Return.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Representative
William A. Wilson, the chairman
of the house ways and means commit-
tee, will return to Washington to-day
from his home in Charleston, W. Va.
Although several months have elapsed
since Mr. Wilson went south to im-
prove his health, he is still far from
being a well man. His general situa-
tion is described by one of his friends
as "shaky"—still a little weak on his
legs.

Spreading the Pestilence.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—A colored
man aged 30 years was arrested at the
Baltimore & Ohio depot here late last
night, just after he got off the train
from Roanoke, Va. His appearance
was such as to excite suspicion, and Dr.
Hammett, the health officer, examined
the man and found a malignant case of
confluent smallpox. He was conveyed
to the smallpox hospital. It is learned
he was originally from Chicago.

Sand and Gravel.

Owing to the dull times, I will sell
sand at 75 cents per yard, and gravel at
65 cents per yard, delivered to any part
of the city. Telephone 316.
April 17-dlm W. H. WILLIAMS.

Dr. De Bossy, a physician of Havre,
who recently celebrated his 101st birth-
day, has the largest practice in the
French seaport. Time and patients have
brought him remarkable success.

LET us remind you that now is the
time to take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It
will do you good. It recommends itself.
C. H. Dawson.

HARVARD has again beaten Yale in an
intercollegiate debate. It is pleasing to
know that the rivalry between the two
universities still admits of argument.

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ates vigor; DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It
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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
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ALEXANDER SALTIN's tort, which has
been very profitable, in spite of the busi-
ness depression, closes June 2, having
been extended beyond the time origi-
nally contracted for.

Nurse, what is the reason

that
so
few
diseases
are
treated
intelligently?"
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TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1894.

Remember, this is **no bluff.** Am not closing out to quit business. Examine prices elsewhere and compare them with the prices I offer during this great sale of

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Those who took advantage of my "Out for the Stuff" sale a few weeks ago know a cheap sale at Walter Hutchin's means **BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY.** Goods all new and stylish. No shop-worn chestnuts. Call. All sales spot cash.

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MONDAY, MAY 14, 1894.

THE Wilson bill has been modified more times than the Hawaiian policy.

SENATOR HOAR suggests that the hum of industry has been superceded by a hum-bug party.

As a revising power the Democratic party stands to-day preeminently the re-visor of revision.

THE maxim, "Tell the truth," does not seem to work as well in Breckinridge's case as it did in the case of Grover.

ALTOGETHER and Coxeism have done a great deal to keep capital from invest-ment where it would help labor.

THE northern farmer and the prosper-ous laboring men of the North seem to be the special objects for attack by the party in power.

GETTING cheaper necessities of life and holding your job at increased wages, promised by the Democrats 1882, is not proving a howling success.

It there is anybody who now openly confesses he believes the Democratic party competent to run the affairs of government nobody can point him out.

THE statesmanship that brought prosper-ity to the country and labor at good wages for all who wanted to work has been superceded by the statesmanship that brings soup-houses.

THERE are more men drinking from gourd since the present party in power assumed the management of the govern-ment than ever drank from gourds on account of a tariff on tin plate.

Not one half the effort has been made by the present administration to reform Queen Liz that it has made to reform the Wilson bill. But then the Democratic party is not responsible for the existence of the queen.

BRECKINRIDGE told the people of Ken-tucky that there was "no skeleton in his closet." As to that he may be right, but it is true, nevertheless, that there is a first class skeleton outside of his closet that had better be in it.

A CENSUS should at once be taken to see how accurately the great statesman, Grover Cleveland, predicted the result of the repeal of the silver purchase law, when he said that its repeal would start again the wheels of industry.

TWO venerable John Baker of the Belleville district announces himself as a candidate for the Republican nomina-tion for congress. Mr. Baker has sev-eral times defeated W. K. Morrison for congress in that district and will probably defeat the Democratic nominee this year if he is nominated.

THE Prophet Elijah once told Ahab, the King of Israel, that if he did not abandon his idolatrous policies great ca-lamities would fall upon his kingdom. Ahab refused to heed the prophet's warning, and when the predicted cala-mities came, the king, instead of confess-ing his error and profiting by experience, sought the prophet and accused him of being responsible for all the trouble the people were suffering. The modern Ahab is the Democratic leader who, in spite of the warnings of Republican statesmen, brought trouble upon our own country and is now saying that the Republican party is responsible for it.

Cook County Convention.
The Cook county Republican conven-tion Saturday failed to endorse Hon. W. E. Mason for United States senator, but it did endorse Henry Wulff for treasurer and recommended the nomination of a woman for trustee of the University of Illinois. Following are the resolutions:
Resolved, That the delegates of Cook county, in convention assembled, hereby endorse the candidacy of Henry Wulff for the office of state treasurer, and re-quest that the delegates from this county to the state convention use all honorable means to secure his nomination.
Resolved, By the Republicans of Cook county in convention assembled that the nomination of a candidate for United States Senator by the State convention would be unwise and inexpedient and that the delegates sent by this conven-tion to the State convention be and they are hereby instructed to oppose by every honorable means the nomination or in-dorsement of any candidate for United States Senator.
Resolved, That we invite all citizens, irrespective of politics, who are in favor of honest elections to join with us in de-manding that any crime against a free ballot and fair count shall not go unpun-ished and to demand that the evidence necessary to convict the guilty, irrespec-tive of party affiliations, shall not be withheld nor suppressed by the servants of the people.
Resolved, That as the women of Illi-nois are entitled to vote for the trustees of the State University, we deem it a fitting recognition of these new voters to nominate one woman as trustee and hereby recommend that the delegates to the state convention at Springfield vote for the nomination of a woman as one of the three trustees to be elected in November.

Tammany Biographies.

New York Evening Post: The World is doing almost the most valuable work that any newspaper can now do for the city in publishing biographies of leading Tammany men. It had one of "Barney" Martin yesterday, filling a page, which, we advise everybody to tear off and stick up in his office or in his workshop. Nothing is so necessary for the city at this crisis as Tammany biographies. Nothing does the gang fear so much, for most of them sprang into public life from the gutter or the jail.

THERE is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it to be a constitutional disease, and there-fore required constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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JAMES J. CORREY has accepted an offer of \$3,000 for eight boxing exhibitions at the Nouveau Cirque in Paris.

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EDDIE FOX has been discharged from the American Extravaganza company by Manager David Henderson.

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Boys' Suits, (Long Pants) \$2.50 to \$5.00

Children's Suits..... 75c to \$1.00

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Will make special inducements on our Bed Room Suites during the month of May.

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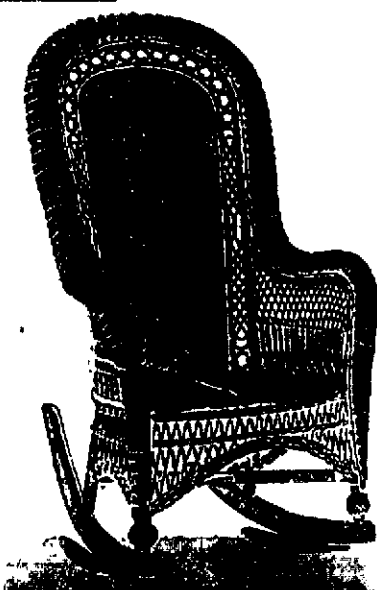
Our Suites from \$14 to \$28 are the Best Make.

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MONDAY, MAY 14, 1894.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Vail left to-day for Tuscola.

Will McBride is in Monticello to day on business.

Attorney J. M. Gray spent Sunday in Barker Hill.

Charles and Helen Summers are visiting relatives in Lincoln.

W. C. Pitzer is entertaining his brother, Dr. F. R. Pitzer, of Fairfield.

Attorney C. C. LeFors has returned from a business trip to Oswego.

Will Boettger, Commodore Hall and Chas. Castle are at Custer Park.

Mrs. L. W. Hatch, of Davenport, Ia., is in the city visiting her parents.

A. C. Boyd, a Lincoln merchant, was the guest of T. A. Bone yesterday.

Charles Laux is expected to arrive home from Denver on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Mueller and daughter, Miss Leelah, have returned from Chicago.

Mrs. W. R. Burger, of Chicago, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. H. Cohn.

Clarence Sigler, R. E. Andrews and Edwin Dinwiddie visited Maria Sunday.

Frank Hott and John Roberts, of Riverton, spent Sunday with Guy Harkness.

Sheriff Perl will leave to-night for Rockford to attend the G. A. R. encampment.

Mayor Harbert and W. H. Willoughby, of Macon, were in Decatur to day on business.

T. C. Hardy was in Lexington, McLean county, Sunday, attending the funeral of his uncle.

C. M. Atterbury is entertaining his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Atterbury, of Litchfield.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Baker, two miles northwest of the city, May 14, at 7 a. m., a son.

Mrs. W. A. Brown and Mrs. W. W. Brown, of Vandana, are visiting I. N. Martin and family.

Colonel J. S. Culver, of Springfield, was in the city yesterday visiting his brother, J. H. Culver.

Rev. Henry Lane, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Taylorville, is the guest of Rev. W. H. Penhalegon and family.

Miss Carrie Breckinridge, who has been in the city visiting Miss Grace McMaster, left to-day for her home in Peru; Ind.

Mrs. John E. King and J. W. Crane were elected delegates to represent Grace M. E. Sunday school at the state convention to be held at Peoria this week.

James Steele, W. M. Mason, W. F. Martin and K. Harwood and wife left to-day for Rockford to attend the state encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

A. H. Mills and Mrs. R. J. Simpson have been appointed to represent the Presbyterian Sabbath school at the state S. S. convention to be held this week at Peoria, beginning Tuesday.

W. C. Fearn, for several years a salesman at Evans' City Book Store, has resigned his position to take effect June 1. Mr. Fearn has not decided what he will do, but he has not any idea of leaving Decatur.

Norman Pringle will leave for Chicago to-night on his way to Rockford to attend the department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. He will join the Chicago delegation and go down to Rockford in style.

W. H. Spence and Miss Rose Proctor will be married June 1 at Grace M. E. church. The bride to be is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Proctor, of 357 West Cerro Gordo street. Mr. Spence is a contracting painter.

B. K. Durfee came over from Springfield Saturday night and visited with Decatur friends Sunday. He departed last evening for California to join his wife and daughters who have been visiting there several months past. They will return to Decatur about July 1.

The engagement and prospective marriage of H. H. Sparks, of Alton, and Miss Emma Peggam, of Lincoln have been announced. The wedding will be solemnized June 6 at the home of the bride's parents in Lincoln. The bride is a sister of Mrs. A. T. Summers and is well known in this city, where she has frequently visited.

Sales of Real Estate.
Stillman Barber to Thomas W. East, 25 acres in section 24, 17, 3 east—\$1. Alexander W. Biddle to William Richmond, nine acres in Macon township—\$1. M. Clokey to William Ellis, deed to 2, block 4, Syndicate addition—\$450.

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Brief Notes of Discourses Heard in the Churches.

Rev. Mr. Howe Talked on "The Bat Family"—Notes of Rev. Mr. Hawkins' Address.

Sunday the attendance at the several churches was generally good. The forenoon service at the Baptist church was memorial in character, reference to which will be found on another page.

THE FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

The services at the M. E. church were well attended, both morning and evening. In the afternoon nearly 500 attended the Sabbath school. The sermon in the morning by the pastor, D. F. Howe, was devoted to the subject of foreign missions and a large amount of money was subscribed for that cause. In the evening Mr. Howe's subject was "The Bat Family." He described the peculiarities of this creature and applied it to various classes of the human family. He demonstrated that every man should have convictions upon the important questions that affect society, and should be positive and have the courage to stand for his convictions; that the unstable, those that were turned by every wind that blows, either for policy's sake, or because they have no depth of character, are of no service to themselves and can do society no good. He favored honest, strong-minded men at all times in preference to that large class of people who are always agreeing with every opinion and theory that is advanced. All the good things that have come to the world through men have come through men who had opinions of their own and stood by them.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

It being the festival of Whitsunday or Pentecost, the services were appropriate to the day. The attendance in the morning was large. At communion the choir sang Stainer's music for that office. During the offertory Miss Grace Buck, of Chicago, rendered with beautiful effect Handel's aria "Angels Ever Bright and Fair." Rev. Mr. Wilkins preached from John iii 3, "Jesus answered and said unto him, verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God. The theme was "The Two Kingdoms, that of nature, and that of grace." The floral decorations were rich and rare. Many persons received the communion, and there was a unity and a beauty associated in the celebration of the day, that marked both the morning and the evening services. A pleasant feature of the evening was a duet by the Misses Downey of the regular choir.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. H. H. Oneal, D. D., was greeted by a large audience at Grace M. E. church Sunday morning. Before announcing the second hymn Dr. Oneal paid a beautiful tribute to the late Rev. Charles E. Torrey, of the Baptist church, saying he was a personal friend, a christian gentleman and a devoted christian minister. The following is a synopsis of the sermon:

Micah vi: 8—"The Essentials of Religion." To be reconciled to God is the vague but imperative longing of human nature. It is the will of the world. It is the ever-repeated refrain of poetry. It is the underbeat of the deepest philosophy. It is the "still sad music of humanity."

If I am not his and he is not mine, then how shall I come before him so as to be at peace with him? There can be no hope, no thought, no question to compare with this. All answers that have been or can be made to this supreme question reduce themselves to four, all of which are rejected, and one of which is approved and forever established. The three rejected answers are *Doing, Giving, Suffering*. Not by any number of formal actions can we enter eternal life. By no self-inflicted anguish can we be acceptable to God. By no giving can we purchase an interest in heaven, or bribe the Almighty. All these acts may have valuable uses, but they cannot bring us into peace with God.

If not by doing, not by giving, not by suffering, then how? The text gives the answer: "Do justly, love mercy and walk humbly with thy God." Not by doing, or giving, or suffering, but by being shall we please God. This is the answer of all the prophets, all the apostles and Jesus Christ himself.

Justice that shall hate the wicked balances and false measures; that shall recoil from oppression and violence; that shall loathe the voices of gossip, scandal and spite.

Mercy that shall cherish for every sorrow that can be alleviated, and every pain that can be assuaged, a divine, self-sacrificing love; mercy that shall live for the good of others and not its own.

A humble reverence for God, which shall be in us the source of that high justice, and that heavenly mercy.

These are the essentials of religion; this is what God requires; to live thus, being just, merciful and humble, is to live in Christ.

The evening sermon on the Sunday school lesson for next Sunday was listened to attentively.

Next Sunday the sermon, night subject, will be "Moses, the Deliverer." Grace church has a new choir with Prof. Towl, organist.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. A. W. Hawkins preached both morning and evening to his congregation at the W. C. T. U. rooms. Sunday, May 6, he preached on the "Model Church," and yesterday he preached on the "Model Congregation," taking for his text, Acts 10:33: "Now therefore are we all here present before God to hear all things that are commanded thee of God." He said in part that a new con-

gregation ought to be a model congregation because it is new.

This was a moral congregation; it was neither Christian nor Jewish, it was heathen, but in some respects it was a model. First, in assembling for divine worship; "they were all there." How beautiful and inspiring when a pastor can look over his congregation and see them all present. They were there on good time—"We are all here present." You don't have to wait for the congregation to assemble; we are here waiting for you. Of course I cannot press the matter of regular attendance too far, but there is the danger of negligence in attending divine worship. Sickness, family cares, and other reasons may prevent people from attending service. It may be necessary at times for some who attend at all to go late. Better come late than not at all. But if it's my duty to attend divine service one Sunday in a year it is my duty to attend every Sunday that I can. If it is my duty to attend church I should do so as not to disturb the services, if I can, one has said we should honor God in the etiquette as well as in the spirit of our worship.

The spirit that should characterize the congregation: "We are all present to hear." They were not there to see and be seen; they were there because they were hungering and thirsting after the word. If curiosity were ever a good motive for attending church it might have been admissible in this case, as it was the first time that an apostle ever stood before a gentle congregation. They were willing to hear the whole truth. "We are all present to hear all things that are commanded thee of God." There are so many in the world who do not wait to hear the whole truth, but sometimes bitter medicine is better than palatable food. They wanted all of the message that Peter had for them from God. They recognized it was a divine service. "We are all here before God." They were therefore prepared to hear the word. The force and efficiency of the service depends as much upon the congregation as upon the preacher. He prepares for the service. Why should not they? The success of Spurgeon was largely due to the fact that his congregation devoutly prepared for every service. They spent 30 minutes each morning in prayer for the pastor and his success in presenting the Word. He preached to a band of princes who truly prevailed with God in prayer, hence one of the secrets of the tabernacle service. They appreciated the preacher as the messenger of God. "We are all present to hear all things that are commanded thee of God." Peter to them was God's messenger. The services were model in their results. Peter, as might have been expected preached with great power and effect. He preached the sermon on the day of Pentecost. This was the Gentile day of Pentecost. He was the big preacher among the apostles. God set the broad seal of his approval on this service in the descent of the Holy Spirit and the conversion of many present.

There was also a good congregation in the evening when the subject of the sermon was: "Christ, the Sun of Righteousness."

CHRISTIAN MISSIONS.

INDIA opened her gates to Christianity in 1813; Madras, in 1818; Turkey, in 1820; Persia, in 1834; five ports of China in 1842; Japan, in 1859; all China, in 1860; Korea, in 1861.

It is said that only Mecca in Arabia and Thessa in Thibet are now closed to Christian preachers, but a hundred years ago nearly the whole world outside of Europe and America was shut.

The Presbyterian church in Canada has a mission among the Chumars of Neechum, Central India. They are a low caste people, living at the entrance to the town, their houses built round a courtyard, in which are wells and fine trees.

There are now about a million living church members who have been gathered out of pagan populations. In all the mission stations in the world it is supposed that there were during the past year 100,000 converts or 2,000 each week.

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FOLLOWED BY FLAME

Talmage's Tabernacle Again Destroyed by Fire.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM A HOLOCAUST.

A Congregation of Six Thousand Had Just Quitted the Edifice, Which in Three Minutes was a Mass of Flame.

The Eloquent Divine was Yet in the Tabernacle Conversing with Friends—Heartbroken Over His Loss—Plans for the Future.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Fire seems to be the Nemesis of Rev. Dr. Talmage's congregation. Their beautiful tabernacle at the corner of Clinton and Greene avenues, Brooklyn, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Just after those who attended the morning service had left the building, not only was the church destroyed, but the nearby hotel and a number of buildings were also greatly damaged. Had the fire broken out one hour earlier, while the building was filled with worshippers, it is almost certain that a dreadful panic and loss of life would have resulted.

This is the third time that the Talmage tabernacle had been destroyed by fire. By a singular coincidence each fire occurred on Sunday. Everything in the tabernacle yesterday was destroyed with the building. Perhaps the loss which will grieve Dr. Talmage most is that of the memorial stones which he brought from the east, and which were set in the wall at the right of the organ. They were four in number. The top block was from Mount Calvary and bore the word "Sacrifice." The stone below from Mount Sinai, bearing on it "The Law." The bottom stone is from Mars' hill and bears the inscription "Gospel." The fourth stone was unmarked.

"A more unique collection never was gathered from one place," Dr. Talmage says of them. The fire was discovered shortly after 12 o'clock, just after the congregation had been dismissed from the morning service. Dr. Talmage was in the church shaking hands with Mr. Leonard Moody, W. H. Adams, James H. Ferguson and their wives, when a small boy rushed into the church through one of the open doors and informed the sexton, James Day, that he had seen smoke coming out of the windows on the Waverly avenue side of the church.

Mr. Day, without speaking to Dr. Talmage, rushed down stairs to the motor room and began making a thorough examination. After searching and not being able to find any indications of a fire he ran upstairs. As he entered the church he met Dr. Talmage with Mr. Moody. They had also smelled smoke. The boy who first entered the church and informed Mr. Day of the fire then volunteered to go up in the back of the organ and see if it was there. He did so, and a second later appeared before the three gentlemen who were waiting for him, with his face blackened and almost suffocated from smoke. All he could say was that he discovered the fire in the back of the organ. Dr. Talmage, Mr. Day and Mr. Moody then started for the organ, but before they could get near it a gust of flame burst from the top. They then made a hurried exit.

In the meantime ex-Supervisor Reed, who was in the Summerfield M. E. church, directly opposite, had also seen the smoke coming from the tabernacle window, and had sent in an alarm of fire.

By the time the firemen arrived the flames were bursting from all the windows. Two extra alarms, and finally a special call was sent in bringing all of the engines in Brooklyn and Williamsburg to the fire. The flames spread with lightning rapidity and the sparks flew in all directions. The greatest excitement prevailed.

The interior of the church was a seething, roaring mass of flames inside of three minutes after the fire was discovered, and by 1 o'clock the roof and the handsome steeple had fallen in. Great jets of flame shot across the open space between the tabernacle and the Hotel Regent, which is next to the church, on Clinton avenue, and in a short space of time that portion of the hotel nearest the church was burning fiercely. The Regent is a family hotel. The guests fled in dismay. Some of them stopped to throw their valuables and clothing from the windows, while others hurried to places of safety just as they happened to be appalled when the panic struck them.

At the time of the fire there were eighty-five guests and ninety servants in the hotel, and many of them had narrow escapes. The fire extended to the hotel between the first and second floors. Before the employees gave the alarm, they attempted to get it under control. The fire soon spread up to the third and fourth floors, however, and the guests and servants rushed pell mell into the street.

There were two ladies in the hotel who had to be carried out. On the fifth floor Mrs. Loomis, of Savannah, was lying ill with her young baby, a few days old. She was carried safely from the burning hotel and, with her child, was removed in an ambulance to the Homeopathic hospital.

Miss Keen, the assistant housekeeper of the hotel, was also carried from the building. She had just passed through a severe illness, but was convalescent. The flames spread rapidly through the hotel and it was soon a fire from cellar to roof. The firemen then devoted their efforts to saving surrounding property. A number of dwellings in the vicinity caught fire, and a fire alarm, but the firemen were unable to save them.

The Summerfield M. E. church also caught fire from flying sparks, but the flames were soon extinguished.

The numerous small fires continued until 4 o'clock by which time the firemen had gotten the flames in the tabernacle and hotel under control.

The tabernacle and Hotel Regent were completely gutted. Nothing remains but the walls. At 6 o'clock portions of the rear wall of the tabernacle fell. The total loss is estimated at a little over \$1,000,000. The loss on the Hotel Regent, including the building, paintings and guests' household goods, will amount to about \$600,000. The loss on the tabernacle is about \$400,000, and the adjoining buildings are reported to be damaged to the extent of \$50,000. It is said that the hotel was insured for \$300,000.

Four firemen were overcome by heat during the progress of the flames and had to be removed from the scene. All subsequently recovered.

It is supposed the fire was caused by a spark from one of the electric light wires behind the organ in the tabernacle.

During the progress of the fire an immense crowd gathered and watched the flames. The intense heat of the fire, combined with that of the sun, caused several prostrations in the crowd of on-lookers. The victims were taken away by friends.

Expressions of regret at the misfortune which had overtaken Dr. Talmage were heard on all sides. The reverend gentlemen stood with the crowd near the church and witnessed the destruction of the beautiful edifice. His expression was a sorrowful one, and he was nearly moved to tears. He was surrounded by a large gathering of friends when the reporter approached him.

"Thank God," said the minister. "God's mercy overtook the disaster. It was all so sudden that I cannot explain it. Had the fire occurred half an hour sooner there would have been a terrible loss of life. The church was crowded, fully 6,000 people were there. A stampede would have occurred and many would have been crushed to death."

Rev. Talmage added that he was unable to tell whether the fire would interfere with his future plans. He had intended leaving Brooklyn this evening on his summer trip to Europe. He did not know if the disaster would delay him.

The subject of Dr. Talmage's sermon yesterday morning was "A Cheerful Church." The text was Solomon's song, chapter iv, first verse, "Behold, Thou Art Fair, My Love."

It was only on Thursday and Friday last that Rev. Dr. Talmage celebrated in the tabernacle the completion of the twenty-fifth year of his pastorate. The tabernacle occupied a lot of ground 200 feet by 118 feet in dimensions. The style of architecture was Romanesque, the material corbelled stone, and rammed brick in red mortar. The roof was covered with Spanish tiles. The main tower at Green and Clinton avenues stood 160 feet in height. The main entrance was at Clinton and Green avenues, a second was on Clinton avenue, and a third on Waverly avenue. The Green and Waverly-avenue entrances led to the Sunday-school hall as well as to the main auditorium. The vast interior held seats for 5,500. The general slope was amphitheatrical.

The lofty ceiling was domed and divided into panels, the material used being of a patent fire-proof wood, which incidentally was destroyed with the rest of the building. The magnificent organ in the loft over which the fire appears to have originated was back of the rostrum, the woodwork incasing it being of ash, nicely planed and ornamented with carved columns. The glass used throughout the building was a combination of frosted crystal and various shades of yellow, giving a very mellow light.

There were two galleries finished with stereo relief work. There was in the tabernacle a library and a kitchen and supper room to be used in connection with fairs. The tabernacle had a debt of \$200,000, and recently Mr. Talmage threatened to leave the pastorate, but financial aid was promised and Dr. Talmage then decided to stay.

The first fire which affected Dr. Talmage occurred in December, 1871, at 1 o'clock in the morning. The church was then situated at Sackett and Schermerhorn streets. Another church was built on the same site and on October 9, 1889, was burned down at 2 o'clock in the morning. The congregation then moved up town to Greene and Clinton avenues, where fire for the third time overtook Dr. Talmage and burned his church down.

The board of trustees of the tabernacle last night held a meeting in the house of Dr. Talmage, at which it was decided to rebuild the tabernacle. The trustees say that Dr. Talmage is to start on his trip around the world as at first intended.

The statement given out by the trustees is that from the insurance receipts and money realized for the sale of land, they will pay all debts.

Within a year the work of rebuilding will begin. They will sell the present land where the fire occurred and move to another site and buy it at a cost of not more than \$70,000. Dr. Talmage will start on his trip around the world to-day. He will go to Philadelphia first, then to Atlanta and the southern states, to Honolulu, New Zealand and Australia.

The tabernacle was insured for \$130,000, in four companies, viz.: London and Liverpool, the Royal Insurance Co., the Phoenix of Hartford and Phoenix of Brooklyn.

The Queen's Health. CHICAGO, May 14.—A cablegram from Sir Henry Ponsonby, private secretary to Queen Victoria, received by R. M. Hunt, of Hunt's News Bureau, emphatically denies the recently-circulated statements that the queen's health is becoming precarious. "Any statement to the contrary circulated across the Atlantic," says Sir Henry Ponsonby, "is entirely untrue."

OUR BERLIN LETTER.

The Brausewetter Scandal Will Not Down.

GERMANY AND THE SAMOAN ISLANDS.

The Miners' Congress—A Headsman's Bloody Record—Emin's Papers and His Heirs—The Jews in Prussia—English Coal.

Popular Clamor for Reform in the Judiciary.

BERLIN, May 14.—The Brausewetter scandal has assumed national dimensions. Few persons hesitate to say that the judge disgraced the bench by usurping the functions of the prosecuting attorney in the trial of Prussian editors last week, and the newspapers throughout the empire agree as rarely before, admonishing the government to act quickly in response to public opinion. The popular condemnation has increased during the last few days until it promises to raise the past political questions in the landtag and in the reichstag. Not only is a reform of judicial methods called for, but greater freedom from police restraint is demanded for the press as an immediate necessity. Saturday the Berlin association of solicitors and king's counsels sent to the ministry of justice a memorial affirming that both Brausewetter and the crown prosecutor violated the rules of professional etiquette by their conduct during the trial of the editors, most notably in treating the defendants' counsel with studied disrespect.

The memorial also declares that it will be impossible to elicit the truth in any case if the practice of distorting evidence and repressing counsel in the defense of clients be allowed. While the members of the Berlin bar show their determination to vindicate their own rights, the journalists and publicists consider Brausewetter's sneering remarks about the newspapers more as an attack upon the rights of a free press.

A meeting has already been called for Wednesday at the Journalist club to protest against the license allowed the courts and police in dealing with the newspapers and the general public.

The excessive sentences passed on the editors found guilty last Thursday of insulting the police will probably be reversed on appeal. It is too late, however, to accomplish much with this partial redress. Now the movement is well under way, nothing will satisfy the public except reforms which will render impossible such travesties of justice in the future.

Apart from Brausewetter's browbeating and the heaving of all the defendants' witnesses by the crown prosecutor, the trial of the editors showed a bad side of the Berlin police. The prosecution was forced to admit that, at the meeting at the Friedrichshain on January 15, the police had their agents provocateur. These agents, disguised as workmen and armed with rubber life preservers, attacked both women and men as they left the place of assembly. The police spy, Brandt, it was proved, had received from the police money with which to publish and distribute fire sheets and placards inciting the unemployed to violence. Judge Brausewetter astonished the audience by holding that these police methods were perfectly justifiable and condemning the press criticisms of them as conscienceless and immoral.

Although reports of the conservative journals, not even excepting the old Kreuz Zeitung, made virtually the same statements as did the Tageblatt and other progressive organs, and conservative and radical editors spoke with equal severity of the police outrages, all the editors sentenced were selected with care from the liberal and social democratic ranks.

The Samoan Question. The local branch of the German Colonial society met and discussed the Samoan question on Friday, but reached no conclusion except that Germany must retain her hold on the islands. The Frankfurt, Cologne, Bremen and several other branches of the society will petition the government to acquire if possible the sole protectorate of both Samoa and Tonga. They expressed fears that the United States, if they withdrew from the tripartite agreement, might not support Germany heartily in her claims to the islands. Although no definite information has reached official circles here as to the attitude of the United States, their retirement from the joint protectorate is regarded as probable. Five German war ships will be at Apia shortly.

The Hanoverian Cuirassier, which is friendly to the colonial party, expresses doubts that this force will suffice to restore peace, and asks that a battalion of marine infantry be sent to Apia at once.

The International Congress of Miners. The international congress of miners which will meet in Concordia hall to-day has the familiar programme. The principal subjects will be: "The Eight Hour Day," "How to Extend the Normal Wage," and the "Limitation of Overproduction by International and Other Measures."

The English delegation will present resolutions as to female labor in mines, the appointment of workmen inspectors, sanitary regulations and the declaring of strikes. On every day of meeting a new chairman will be elected. By this process of rotation in office almost every national group of delegates will be enabled to place its man in the chair. The Austrian miners desire to have a special hearing for a deputation from Ostrava. The subject will be the slaughter of strikers at Mauthausen last week.

The Headsman of Berlin's Bloody Record. The headsman of Berlin, who has been in office for many years, has a bloody record. He has executed many criminals, and his work is well known throughout the city.

The Jews in Prussia. The Jews in Prussia are a large and influential community. They are engaged in various occupations, and their numbers are increasing.

English Coal. The English coal industry is a major export for the country. It is a source of pride and a source of revenue for the government.

prison, the brothers Jean and Severin Koziolek, who were convicted of murdering a gamekeeper. He has now taken off more than a hundred heads. His next engagement is to kill Otto Frank, the Nemitz bookmaker, who murdered his wife and infant daughter. The execution will take place in Stettin.

Emin's Papers and the Rival Claimants for His Estate.

A lawsuit over Dr. Emin's papers has been begun here. One claimant is Ferida, Emin's daughter by an Abyssinian woman and generally regarded as his heir, the other is a woman living in Constantinople who asserts that she was Emin's legal wife and produces a certificate, signed apparently by Emin, to prove the legitimacy of the child Paulina. The proof in the latter case seems to be complete. In 1874 Dr. Emin was staying in Nelsie and this is the year from which the certificate dates. The woman says the marriage took place in Constantinople. It is suggested that the existence of this family had much to do with Emin's refusal to return with Stanley to Europe, for he had several families in Africa at the time.

The Princess of Hesse. Princess Alix, of Hesse, the betrothed of the czarowitz, is expected to arrive in Potsdam next month, and to proceed thence to the estate of her sister, the Grand Duchess Sergius, near Moscow. While there the princess will be instructed in the doctrines of the orthodox Greek church by the metropolitan of Moscow.

Historic. Prince Hohenlohe, governor of Alsace-Lorraine, has cancelled the order of the Colmar authorities against the production of the opera "Galathea" in French, and the performances was given yesterday.

"Charley's Aunt" has had a phenomenally successful run here. This fact is likely to cause the production of many other English farces in this city. Already arrangements are making to bring out "The Gaiety Girl" and "The New Boy."

Enormous Increase of Jews in Prussia. Allwardt, the Jew-baiter, gives in his new journal, the Pundschau, some statistics concerning the enormous increase of the Jewish population in Prussia. Berlin had 6,500 Jews in 1840, some 30,000 in 1870, and 75,000 in 1890. After commenting upon the rapid growth of the Jewish colony since the founding of the empire, the Pundschau asserts that 40 percent of all the houses in Berlin belong to the Jews.

The province of Brandenburg contained 46,400 Jews in 1870, and 602,000 in 1890. During the same period the Jewish population increased but 3,000 in Bavaria, 1,000 in Baden and 1,100 in Wurttemberg.

A Cover Attack Upon Emperor William. Prof. Ludwig Quide has published a pamphlet entitled "Caligula." It purports to be a study of the madness of the Roman emperor, but the author has so selected and grouped his classical quotations as to make the whole work bear directly upon Emperor William's actions. The pamphlet probably will be suppressed.

Emperor William has ordered that preparations be made on the same scale as last year for the autumn maneuvers around Metz.

Enormous Influx of English Coal. Reports from the Rhinish and Westphalian coal districts contain many complaints of the enormous influx of English coal and the consequent fall of prices. A single Yorkshire firm has contracted to send wholesale supplies Mayence, Frankfurt and Mannheim. These conditions will be discussed at the miners' congress.

Mme. Nikita, the opera singer, has returned to Berlin after a successful tour in Russia.

Mr. and Mrs. Hornsby left Berlin for Washington yesterday.

Baseball. The following games were played Saturday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 8, Cleveland 5. At Baltimore—Baltimore 8, Philadelphia 3. At Chicago—Chicago 6, Louisville 5. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 2. At New York—New York 6, Washington 2.

At Boston—Boston 9, Boston 2. YESTERDAY'S GAME. At Chicago—Chicago 14, Louisville 12. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 7, St. Louis 5.

Church Doors Locked Against a Priest. PALMYRA, Neb., May 14.—Father Smith, sent here by Bishop Monaghan to hold services, found the doors of the church locked, supposedly by order of Father Corbett. With his following he demanded the keys, but was refused, and thereupon forced the doors of the vestry and held services without resistance. No further trouble is anticipated from Father Corbett, the excommunicated priest, who is enjoined by order of the court from interfering.

To Organize an Industrial Army. COLUMBUS, O., May 14.—About 600 people responded to a call for a mass meeting of the unemployed of the city yesterday afternoon to organize an industrial army to march to Washington. Speeches were made by George Elmer, a populist leader, O. C. Brown, a blind labor agitator, and E. F. Pillsbury, a young physician. The crowd was sympathetic, but only thirty enlisted in the army.

Died of His 36th Year of Wounds. CORVALLIS, Ore., May 14.—Dr. J. W. Applewhite died yesterday from the result of his self-inflicted wounds. He never regained consciousness after being taken to his home from the scene of the tragedy. Kenyon is recovering from his wounds. Mrs. Kenyon was buried yesterday.

Mad-Min. Pollard in New York. NEW YORK, May 16.—Madeline Pollard, accompanied by Miss Burke, arrived in this city from Washington at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They stopped at the Hotel Marlborough for a few hours, and then returned to Washington.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

The republicans of the senate will hold a caucus to-night at the residence of Senator Sherman.

The banks of New York now hold \$80,000,000 in excess of the requirements of the 25 percent rule.

Gen. Robert P. Deibert, who had been ill for several months from an affection of the liver, died in Philadelphia Saturday.

County Commissioner Chas. L. Gibbons of Mansfield, O., was struck by a train at 2 o'clock Saturday, and was instantly killed. He was returning in a buggy from a short trip in the country.

Giov. Brown, of Maryland, has received several letters and telegrams from residents of Prince George's county protesting against the county army, and some of them in a very well-written manner.

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Johns Hopkins Secretary Smith has just received word to order the release of Mrs. M. J. Smith, who is serving a life sentence in the Maryland State Prison for murdering her husband. She is now in the hospital for the purpose of medical treatment.

A south-bound passenger train on the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago railroad was wrecked at a side track in Indiana Saturday afternoon. The train was carrying a large number of passengers. The engineer, Frank Pope, and three passengers were fatally injured.

There is a conflict of authority as to the composition of the first national convention of the National Association of Manufacturers. The government is claiming that it is the right of the manufacturers to elect their own representatives.

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In Wokrie, Hungarian prime minister, arrived in Hungary Saturday and had a conference with the emperor. The day after he said that Premier Wokrie intended to resign his ministry. He had been in Hungary for some time, and had been in contact with the emperor.

The explosion of a tank of benzol in the Akron (O.) railway works Saturday set fire to the plant, and in an hour it took the form of a great fire. The fire was caused by a tank of benzol which had been used in the manufacture of dynamite.

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The State Commune at W. K. K. from Lincoln, Neb., and from a man named W. K. K. who had been killed in a street in Paris.

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 —Persons asking for the pardon of ex-convict John P. Henningway, of Mississippi, and who had been fled with the state, have been filed with the governor. It is expected the total number of pardons will reach 25,000.

—Imports of specie at the port of New York for the week ended Saturday were \$1,251,803 and gold and silver coins were \$20,755.
 —The steamer Lucania, from New York, arrived at Liverpool on Saturday morning at 10 a. m. and Saturday morning, making the passage in Sandy Hook bar in 5 days, 12 hours and 15 minutes. On May 9 she ran 524 miles.

—The steamer boat Ericksen, the first war vessel built on inland waters, was launched Saturday afternoon at Dubuque, Ia., in the presence of several thousand people. As the vessel struck the water a national salute was fired.

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—There is a conflict of authority between the national and local officials in the case of the Thompson of the First national bank in St. Louis, Mo., who defaulted and disappeared. The government is determined to get the Thompson at all hazards.

—The British war ship Galatea was captured by the German fleet in the North Sea Saturday. One man was killed and several others injured by the premature discharge of the ship's small guns.

—The Syracuse (Mich.) mine superintendent has ruled two weeks ago to employ no married men. Now there is not an unmarried man over 18 years of age in the mine. There has been a remarkable exodus of married men and a loss of a dozen weddings.

—The statue of Columbus, by the Spanish sculptor, was unveiled on the wall in Central park, New York, on Saturday, by Vice-President Stevenson, in the presence of a distinguished company of men, prominent in the diplomatic, political, business and social world.

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—The Wokele, Hungarian prime minister, arrived in Hanover Saturday and had an audience with the emperor during the day. It is said that Premier Wokele intends to be before his majesty specific complaint of interference in Hungarian affairs on the part of Austrian officials.

—The explosion of a tank of benzine in the Adams Express works, Saturday, set fire to the plant and in an hour it, together with part of the Acron Chemical Co.'s plant, was in ruins. Michael Heugler, aged 18, was fatally burned by the explosion, and another man is injured. Loss, \$50,000.

—The imports, exclusive of specie at the port of New York for the week ended Saturday were \$9,175,776, of which \$1,251,803 were dry goods and \$7,911,973 general merchandise. For the corresponding week of last year the imports were \$12,210,548, of which \$2,101,548 were dry goods and \$10,109,000 general merchandise.

Murdered for Money.
 Paris, May 15.—The police yesterday morning arrested a youth about 18 years of age on suspicion of having murdered the young girl whose mangled body was found in her perfumery shop Friday morning. Upon being questioned at the police station the young man confessed the murder. He said he did not know the girl and had no other motive in killing her than to rob her of her valuables and plunder the shop.

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